SEYMOUR DAILY REPUBLICAN

VOLUME XXXI NO. 62 SEYMOUR, INDIANA, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1912. PRICE TWO CENTS

CHESTNUT STREET BIDS RECEIVED

Special Meeting of City Council Wednesday Evening to Open Bids For Paving.

REFERRED TO BOARD OF WORKS

Will Meet Tonight to Select Best Bid and Recommend to the Council For Adoption.

The city council met in special session Wednesday evening at the city building to receive bids for the improvement of North Chestnut street. Mayor Swope called the council to order and the following members were present: Davison, Misch, Sherman Day, W. R. Day and Buse.

The purpose of the special meeting was to receive bids for the improvement of North Chestnut street, which has been under consideration for some time. Three bids were received for improving with cement; and one bid each for bituminous concrete, Trinidad asphalt, and vitrified brick. The following are the bids as received:

Concrete: Ewing Shields, cement per square yard, $1.05; combined curb and gutter, 38 cents per lineal foot; marginal stone, 50 cents per lineal foot.

Concerte: DeGolyer & Smith, cement per square yard, 85 cents; combined curb and gutter, 33 cents; marginal stone, 38 cents.

Concrete: Sullivan Cement & Stone Co., cement per square yard, $1.20; combined curb and gutter, 35 cents; marginal stone, 40 cents.

Bituminous Concrete: Ewing Shields, per square yard, $1.20; combined curb and gutter, 38 cents; marginal stone, 50 cents.

Trinidad Asphalt: Ewing Shields, per square yard, $2.00; combined curb and gutter, 38 cents; marginal stone, 50 cents.

Vitrified Brick: Ewing Shields, per square yard, $1.70; combined curb and gutter, 38 cents; marginal stone, 50 cents.

After reading the bids, on motion of Buse they were referred to the Board of Works which will meet this evening to consider the bids in detail, and recommend to the council what they regard as the lowest and best mendation will be for a cement street. After this recommendation is made the property owners along the street have the privilege of petitioning for a change in the material to be used provided the petition is made within ten days from the date of filing the bids, which was last evening.

Dancing School.

Clyde Steinbrenner will organize her dancing class Feb. 8 as it was impossible to do so Feb. 1. The theatre manager having been called away on account of his wife's illness and the Stock Co. having the building rented also, used their authority by not allowing her use of the hall.

Dancing school 8 to 9 p. m.

Children's class 4:30 to 5:30 p. m.

Informal dance 9 to 12. 50 cents per couple.

No one except the class and patrons allowed in hall before 9 o'clock. f8d

Seymour Business College Phone 403.

DEPAUW UNIVERSITY GLEE CLUB AT SOCIETY HALL FRIDAY NIGHT

On its annual mid-winter tour the glee club of DePauw University will come to Seymour on Feb. 9 for a concert under the auspices of the Senior class of the high schools. The club visited Seymour last year, and consequently its coming is welcomed by the DePauw following of the city as well as by other college people and music lovers. Tickets now on sale at Andrews Drug Store.

During the Christmas vacation the organization took a trip into Illinois visiting Marshall, Paris, Charleston, Mattoon, and Danville, as well as Covington and Attica, Ind. From all of these places come excellent comments on the concert. The Danville Press Democrat in commenting on the entertainment states: Spacious Kimber Church was filled completely and right royally was the crowd repaid for attending. The numbers were well received, and the many encores threatened to exhaust the repertoire of the club." The concert given in Indianapolis on Jan. 17 was also praised highly by both the Indianapolis News and Star.

Besides the regular glee club numbers the organization carries a reader, Earl M. Guthridge who gives a group of humorous sketches, and a violinist, Prof. Howard J. Barnum, of the DePauw school of music. The ordinary concert numbers of the club are also varied by the introduction of a farce on grand opera, the words of which were written by George Ade to fit the music of several Faust choruses.

On the present trip the club will visit eleven Indiana cities, including Noblesville, Tipton, Kokomo, Peru, Wabash, Marion, Hartford City, Rushville, Connersville, Seymour, and New Albany.

WOODMEN ENTERTAINED

In Their New Hall Wednesday Evening.

The M. W. A. gave a "house warming" for members and their families and friends Wednesday evening in their new appartments in the K. of P. building. About 300 were present and it was a success in every way. The state lecturer for the Woodmen, Elder Harley Jackson, gave an address of welcome to the guests. Miss Edna Montgomery and James Montgomery gave a dialogue after which recitations were given by Edna and James Montgomery. Excellent music was rendered by the orchestra. The committee served lunch later in the evening. Afterward the younger people engaged in dancing until mid night.

MARRIED.

COX-ADAMS.

Clifford Cox and Miss Maude Adams of Crothersville were married Thursday morning in the county clerk's office at Brownstown by Rev. M. C. Milligan.

FOSTER-MITCHELL

Walter Foster and Miss Gertrude Mitchell of this city were married Thursday morning at the county clerk's office by Rev. Edward Schneider.

New Location.

Harrison & Gorbet have moved their clothing and cleaning shop to 8½ N. Chestnut street, over Heins meat market. They are installing a steam plant for cleaning and dyeing which will be ready for operation in a few days. The firm will be known as the Royal Tailors and Garment Cleaners.

BANANAS

Twenty-five cents a bunch. 8 to 10 dozen to the bunch. Carroa Bros., E. Second street.

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DIED.

REDDINGER—John Reddinger died at his home one-half mile south of Seymour, at one o'clock a. m. Feb. 8, 1912. Mr. Reddinger was born in the city of Bediesheim, Hesse, Darmstadt, Germany, January 1, 1828. He came to America in 1848, landing at Philadelphia, from whence he moved to Indianapolis in 1850. In 1852 he moved to Seymour, where he has resided ever since. He was one of the first settlers of our city, there being but four or five houses in the little town, and but one railroad, the Jeffersonville, now the Pennsylvania. He engaged in the boot and shoe trade and for many years did a large and profitable business in that line. He bought lots and built several houses. He was one of the progressive pioneers, who by hard work, gave to Seyomur a rapid growth and firm reputation. His old home on Chestnut is a type of the architecture and solid workmanship of the first substantial buildings of the city, and is perhaps the only one that has not been remodeled to conform to modern ideas.

Mr. Reddinger was a man of positive ideas, and though of but limited education in the English language, was a good German scholar. He was a studious reader, and but few were better acquainted with modern and ancient history. He is survived by his wife and three sons, John, Sherman and Philip, all of Seymour, and two daughters, Ella of this citl, and Rose of Jeffersonville.

The funeral will be from his home on Sunday afternoon, and burial at Riverview.

Haman:—Mrs. Henry Haman, age 70 years, died Thursday morning at her home in Brownstown after an illness of several months of asthma. She was born near Sauers and has lived in Brownstown for the past ten years and was quite well known in Jackson county.

Besides the husband two children survive. They are Mrs. William Miller of Brownstown and John Haman west of Brownstown.

DARLING:—Grover Lee Darling, the six days old child of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Darling died early this morning at the home on Indianapolis Avenue. The burial was at Riverview this afternoon.

Trades Residence.

Ewing Shields has traded his residence in this city to Dr. Dimmit, pastor of the Methodist church at Columbus, for valuable residence property in Indianapolis. Mr. Shields does not contemplate removal from Seymour for the present, at least not until the children are through school here. The removal of the family would be generally regretted.

At Christian Church.

M. D. Adams a returned Missionary from India will speak at the Christian church Sunday, Feb. 11th.

Mr. Adams spent twenty-six years in India and will display some rare curios from that interesting land, illustrating the life and religions of the people. This will be a good opportunity for this congregation.

For E. P. Elsner.

Edward P. Elsner was tendered a surprise birthday dinner by his wife Wednesday evening. Covers were laid for ten and an elegant three course dinner was served. After dinner progressive crokinole was played for some time and all enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

Art Exhibit Dates.

Arrangements have been made to hold the Elson art exhibit from February 14 to 17 inclusive, so as to include Saturday, instead of from the 12 to the 16 as previously announced.

Old papers, handy for scores of uses about the house, for sale cheap at the Republican office. d&w-tf

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CAMPAIGN INCIDENT

In Seymour Called to Attenton of President Taft.

A few days ago Williamson T. Hager, of Flatrock township, wrote to President Taft, calling the latter's attention to an incident that happened at Seymour when the President spoke there during the past campaign. There was a double yoke of oxen on the streets that day and they bore the legend. "We were calves when Bryan first ran for President."

Mr. Hager assured the President of his warm support for a second term and said he would stand with him until the last ditch was crossed.—Columbus Repubilcan.

The campaign incident is remembered here. President Taft spoke from the rear of a B. & O. train at the Chestnut street crossing. The oxen belonged at the Stanfield-Carlson mill and the employes prepared the banner and stationed the oxen on the street near the crossing.

Notice to Dog Owners.

The city dog tax of one dollar must be paid to city clerk on or before March 1. Owners failing to pay will be prosecuted.

f8d J. T. ABLE, Chief of Police.

Notice.

All Gas and Electric bills are due the first of each month and must be paid at company's office on or before the fifteenth of the month.

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D. W. WILSON, C. P. f9

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UNCLE SAM'S WAR DOGS OF THE SEA

Great Changes in Ships as Well as Personel of the Navy During the Last Twenty-five Years.

JOHN D. P. HODAPP WRITES

About Opportunities For Seeing Service in the Navy That Has Never Known Defeat.

John Dale P. Hodapp, who has been in the U. S. Navy for several years, a former Seymour boy, writes the Republican the following interesting letter about the possibilities of life in the navy for young men:

The sea has always had its fascinations for youth. The spirit of adverture is present in the make up of every red-blooded young man, and the opportunity for extensive travel, of visiting for themselves the cities of the orient or the tropics, has been sufficient incentive for many to follow the sea, despite the hardships which attended a sailor's life in bygone days.

The record of our navy from its earliest days, has been a source of pride to all Americans. In every war in which this country has been engaged, the navy has acquitted itself with credit. The name of Paul Jones, and the battle he fought off Flamborough Head, are known to every school boy; while the achievements of Decatur, of Perry, of Bainbridge, of Macdonough, Farragut, Cushing, and Dewey, form a conspicuous part of our nation's history.

During the past twenty years the Navy has undergone a complete change. The transition from sail to steam power marked the beginning of the evolution in the Navy, which placed warfare at sea upon an entirely different basis, and has developed that most powerful of complicated machanism, the modern battleship.

The effect of the evolution which has taken place in our Navy during the past generation has been equally as great in its relation to the enlisted personnel as it has in ship construction. The contrast between the wooden sailing vessel of the 80's and the mighty Arkansas with 27,000 tons displacement, is no more marked than the contrast between the man-o-warsman of 25 years ago, and of the present day. To operate the huge battleship in fleet formation, and maintain the standard of efficiency which is required in the Navy, it is necessary that we have men of intelligence, of clear brain and steady nerves, skilled in the various mechanical trades, and splendidly disciplined.

It is not necessary that they have any previous sea experience, for a knowledge of their duties on ship board is acquired after they have entered the service.

For these reasons, the Navy chooses its recruits from among young men of good character and exemplary habits, who may reasonably be expected to develop, under the thorough system of Navy training, into seasoned man-o-warsmen, ready for any duty required of them no matter how arduous.

In order to obtain such men in suffi-

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The Lost Trail

This was the subject of a strong appeal by Evangelist Watkins last evening to every man and woman who had lost his or her fellowship with God, to return and renew the close fellowship which is the privilege of every Christian. Mr. Watkins related the story of being lost with a companion in the dense forests of Canada while on a hunting trip, how absolutely hopeless their condition seemed. They had lost the trail that had been blazed on the trees to guide them back to their camp. Search for it as they would they could not find the trail, until the shrill whistle of a locomotive in the distance gave them a clue as to their directions. This is the condition of every sinner, and of every man who has wandered away from God. God is calling him to return, He is ready to receive him whenever he does listen to the call and return. Every man must make his own decision.

There will be preaching again this evening by Mr. Watkins and good music led by the big chorus choir. Come and hear the Gospel in sermon and song.

SUBJECT TONIGHT:

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First Baptist Church

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1912.

Heart to Heart Talks.

By EDWIN A. NYE.

HIS DREAM.

I remember a dream written, I think, by the late Myrtle Reed that has stuck in my memory.

A dissatisfied young man dreamed that he was in a great factory. The belts were off, the machinery stopped. There was rubbish on the floor, and the people stood about complaining.

Each wanted the other's job.

The shipping clerks wanted to cut out the samples that were sent out in big envelopes. The girls who cut out the samples wanted to draw the designs.

The designer wanted to be doorkeeper so he could get more air. The man who oiled the machinery wanted to wash the windows for a change. The busy messengers wanted to run the machines. And so on.

Suddenly a strong voice called out. "Each of you back to his job!"

Hesitatingly the workers obeyed. Presently all was harmony. Each was doing his work, and doing it well.

Then as they worked, dreamed the dreamer, the spirit of love entered into them, and they began to sing at their tasks. Each of them not only did his own work, but helped his neighbor. Instead of complaining each was eager to do and to help.

The dreamer awoke.

He knew it was only a dream, but the teaching was plain. If each one of us did his work in the spirit of love and cheerfulness there would be harmony and the millennium would be here.

Is it not so?

If your task is hard, nevertheless make up your mind to do it faithfully and in the spirit of love. Dignify it by your fidelity. It is possible to learn to love even a hard task.

You can do better work?

Possibly. But you cannot do the greater work successfully if you cannot do the lesser work successfully.

If you do the lesser task faithfully the time will come when you may demand and command the better job.

It is your job, big or little.

If you complain of it and envy others you will not succeed and you will sow the seeds of discontent and discord in the hearts of your fellows.

Each to his job!

The harmony of things requires that you do your work, however menial, and dignify it with a song. Some other worker, drinking of your spirit and hearing your song, may take heart again.

ANVIL SPARKS

Even the smallest fault is a fault just the same.

He that hath lost his faith hath little else to lose.

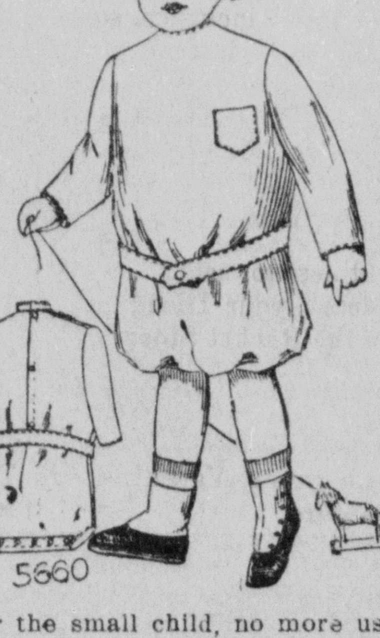
You cannot share your joy too much, nor your grief too little.

Don't write down your grievances; the sooner they are forgotten the happier you will be.

When you make a blunder, step ahead of it; and thus you will make it an occasion for advancement.—Christian Herald.

Republican Want Ads. Get Results.

CHILDREN'S ROMPERS.



For the small child, no more useful garment than the rompers has ever been devised. This little model is made in one piece and is very easily fashioned. It has a high neck finished with a band collar and long sleeves. The rompers are completed with a pocket on the left front side and a strap belt buttoning in front. Madras, cambric or seersucker may be used. Many women prefer the last named material, as it requires no pressing when laundered.

The pattern (5660) is cut in sizes for 1, 2 and 3 years. To make the rompers in the medium size will require 2⅛ yards of 27 inch goods.

To procure this pattern send 10 cents to "Pattern Department," of this paper. Write name and address plainly, and be sure to give size and number of pattern.

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NAME..............................
TOWN..............................
STREET AND NO...................
STATE..............................

CROTHERSVILLE.

William Robbins, Milford Stewart and Mat Reynolds were in town last Friday.

Frank Brady, Dr. A. May, William Goecker and J. W. Benham attended the district convention at Columbus last week.

Daniel E. Bedel, Henry Rider, Clarence Wilson, Fred Simmons, John Dorsey, Jonathan Kelley and Perry Sayler were among the farmers who came to town Saturday.

James A. Cox went to Brownstown last Monday.

Sherman Hall attended commissioners court at Brownstown last Monday.

Jonathan Kelley, Mart Robbins, George D. Rider, Ira Gillaspy, James A. Nelson, Ed Winkler, Charles Newkirk, John Dorsey, Mat Reynolds, Arch Rider, Wert Lett and John Wehmiller were in town Tuesday.

George M. Beldon transacted business at Brownstown Tuesday.

Frank Brown met with a serious accident while visiting his step-daughter at Indianapolis last week. While descending the stairs his foot slipped and he fell down the entire stairs. He came home the next day without consulting a physician but upon arriving home his pain was so great he called a physician and was informed that he had sustained two broken ribs. He is getting along nicely but is not able to be out in town.

Last Friday one of the oldest people in the county was buried here, Mrs. Mary Bradford. She was 97 years of age when she died. She had outlived all of her near relatives and for several years she had been making her home with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Klakamp. She had lived in and around Crothersville since the civil war and was known to all by the name of Aunt Mary. She had been a member of the Methodist church at this place since its organization and was a faithful christian worker until the last.

CORTLAND.

Zero weather called on us again Sunday and Tuesday, the register was all the way from 14 to 20 below.

Mr. Henry Schafstall's sister of Kansas came Friday evening to visit him and other relatives.

Mrs. Theodore Lynch of near Acme visited her mother, Mrs. Richard Rose Tuesday.

Bruce Findley had his sale Tuesday with a good attendance. Everything sold well, especially horses and hay.

Daniel Walker passed through here Tuesday, taking to town seven head of fat cattle.

Theodore Lynch purchased a fine team of black horses of Bruce Findley Tuesday.

Richard Rose made a business trip to Brownstown Monday.

George Smith purchased a mare at the sale.

Teachers' institute Saturday; the teachers of Salt Creek township have an invitation to attend and a good time is expected in general.

Mrs. William Wilkerson, who has been quite sick for the past two weeks of pneumonia, is able to sit up.

Roy Hillman of Greensboro, returned to his home Monday, after a pleasant visit with his sister and brother, Rev. Smith and wife.

The Boicourt brothers are loading two cars of their personal property preparatory to moving to Oaktown.

J. T. Pruden is sick at his home.

DUDLEYTOWN.

Mrs. E. Kleinmeyer was born Feb. 27, 1849, in Germany. She came to America in 1873 and was married to E. Kleinmeyer in 1876. She died Feb. 2, 1912. She leaves three children, Ed, Carl and Lena, all of this vicinity, and three brothers, Carl of East Grassy, William of West Grassy Fork township, and Christ of Page county, Iowa, and two sisters. She reached the age of 62 years, 11 months and 5 days.

Mrs. Arsling is on the sick list.

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at Seymour, Ind., and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office.

LADIES.
Mrs. J. T. Cash.
Miss Anna Durm.
Miss Harriet Eits.
Miss Minnie Jearvies.
Nora Lynch.
Miss Annie Nantz.
MEN.
Mr. Clarence Schlick.
Mr. J. Walker.
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WATCH FOR IT! READ IT!

GUTHRIE CREEK.

Dr. Woolery of Heltonville was here Friday to see Mrs. Black.

John P. Henderson lost a horse one day last week.

Andrew and Everett Henderson went to Medora Saturday after corn.

Willie and Henry Baker were at Norman Station last Tuesday.

Willis Mitchell went to Harrodsburg one day last week to see his mother-in-law, who is dangerously sick at that place.

Everett Clark was at Liberty Wednesday trying to buy a horse.

Moses Branaman and family of Leesville, attended the funeral of Mrs. Waskom at Liberty Tuesday.

Claud Henderson was at Norman Station Monday.

Clarence Childers bought some hay of George Black Monday.

Everyone reads the Want Ads.

MAJESTIC THEATRE

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Sequel to Forty Years Romance of French Sweetheart.

After Marriage Was Forbidden Jules and Marguerite Met Daily and Exchanged Vows—Are Found Dead.

Paris, France.—Tragedy has closed the remarkable love affair of Jules Denis and Marguerite Plezezins. They were engaged forty years. Marguerite had to nurse her father, Jules had to plan and scrape to keep his mother. The first duty of each was to the parent.

The years went creeping on and it did seem, at last, that they would be married. But Jules was robbed and lost his position and the doctor told Marguerite her aged father would live another ten years, because she nursed the old man "so wonderfully well."

Then the next morning the concierge of a house in Belleville sent a messenger boy to the fifth floor with a note to Jules Denis. At the same time the concierge in a street in La Villette sent a boy to the fourth floor with a message addressed to Mdlle. Marguerite Plezezinski. Both boys returned with the notes. They had knocked but had received no reply.

Each concierge sent for a locksmith and the police. Jules Denis lay dead in his bed. A bottle which had contained laudanum was by his side, and in his hand was a sheet of paper containing a last word to his sweetheart. Marguerite was found in her room dressed in white and dead, and her hand held a paper with a word on it to "Jules, my loved one." There was a laudanum bottle by her bedside, too.

The police opened the notes sent by messengers.

"It is accomplished, Marguerite," said one.

"It is accomplished, Jules," said the other.

Jules Denis was 68 years old. Marguerite Plezezinski was 57. They met when Marguerite was 17 and Jules 28. Marguerite was the daughter of comparatively wealthy parents. Jules was a clerk at $30 a month. They wished to marry, but their parents laughed at them and said: "There is plenty of time to think it over." Marguerite's parents could live without work, but had no money for a marriage portion for their daughter sufficient for a son-in-law without a reasonable income.

So Marguerite and Jules met each day, exchanged vows and waited. Jules rose somewhat, but never earned more than $1,000 a year. As time went on they continued to see each other every day, each day renewing their vows of love. They did not dream of disobeying their parents' injunction of waiting on marriage until they were in "a position to do so."

Jules never went to Marguerite's house except when her mother died. and Marguerite never went to the small flat to see Jules' mother. Both understood that for them marriage was hopeless—for the time. Jules must look after his old mother. Marguerite must nurse her paralyzed father. Jules managed now and then to pile another coin on the tiny heap he was saving for the marriage day And so time went on and he was 68 and she was 57.

And then the other day Jules was sent to cash the check for nearly $5,000. Jules cashed the check at the bank. As he neared the door a man stumbled against him and he fell. When he arose the man was gone and the money had disappeared

Jules was accused of nothing but carelessness. He was not even suspected but the chief partner in the firm for which Jules worked told him that he must find another position. And on that same day the doctor told Marguerite that she had nursed her father so well he probably would live another ten years. So she would be 67 years old before she could marry. She shuddered at the thought and felt a pang of shame, and then—she lost all hope.

And if Jules Denis had waited only a few hours longer they at last could have seen the way to happiness in marriage after their years of true devotion to their parents.

For soon after the discovery of Jules' death it was found that his mother had died in her sleep in the night. Marguerite's father was found in a collapse indicating that his days were few. He is 85. When he looked up at neighbors who went to him after the finding of his daughter's body they could not tell him the news, and he could not understand why his daughter had not brought his morning chocolate to him as usual. Servants must look after him now.

Plants Coronation Tree.

London.—The Prince of Wales has planted a Windsor Forest oak tree at Flemish Farm, Windsor Great Park, to commemmorate coronation year. It was placed near the oak planted by King George last year to commemorate his first day's shooting as king in Windsor Forest. The spade used has painted upon it the colors of the Union Jack.

Spurgeon's Sermons.

Mr. Spurgeon's sermons used to be printed in twenty-three different languages weekly.

Settled Their Rows at Home.

The sister of a wife who was being sued for divorce was on the witness stand. The attorney for the plaintiff asked her whether she had ever noticed any trouble between her sister and the husband. There never had been any trouble as far as she was able to observe. 'Of course," said she, "they had their spats just like all married people do—just like me and my husband—but we always make up." "You don't have to come to divorce court, then, do you?" asked Judge Vinson Carter, smiling. "Nope,' said the witness, glancing at her husband on the witness bench, "we always settle our troubles at home." "Well," said the judge, "I guess that's the best way," and he resumed his tedious task of sifting the truth from the evidence presented to him.

A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Liniment and bound on to the affected parts is superior to any plaster. When troubled with lame back or pains in the side or chest give it a trial and you are certain to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords. Sold by all dealers.

Business Proposition.

"See here, Mr. Sands," said Mrs. Tompkins to the grocer, "what do you mean by giving me only nine-tenths of a pound of Swiss cheese when I am paying for a pound?"

"In selling Swiss cheese, my dear madame," said the grocer with dignity, "business caution prompts me to allow myself 10 per cent for the holes, which, as you must be aware, make no impression on the most delicately adjusted scales."—Harper's Weekly.

Sedentary habits, lack of outdoor exercise, insufficient mastication of food, constipation, a torpid liver, worry and anxiety, are the most common causes of stomach troubles. Correct your habits and take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and you will soon we well again. For sale by all, dealers.

Boy Ropes a Wildcat.

Livingston, Mont.—While a large crowd watched him, Gene Confarr, fifteen years old, son of Eugene Confarr, a well-known Montana sportsman, roped a big wildcat which strayed into town and was discovered in front of a department store.

How to cure a cold is a question in which many are interested just now. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has won its great reputation and immense sale by its remarkable cure of colds. It can always be depended upon. For sale by all dealers.

IVORY SUPPLY SHORT

Search for Tusks Has Cost More Lives Than War.

Savages Know Values—Big Stock on Hand in Interior Africa, but Chiefs Guard Treasures Jealously.

London.—The ivory market of the world is to be found in London—in Mincing lane, in fact—and there you will find stored all the ivory that enters the London docks from time to time. Sales are held periodically, and prior to a sale the ivory is placed on view for the benefit of prospective buyers.

The elephant, for the most part, supplies our ivory, and each year, it is stated, some 50,000 elephants have to be secured. The fact is, however, that a great quantity of ivory is taken from dead elephants—animals that have died naturally and have not fallen before the hunter's gun.

When large herds of elephants roam a district you may be quite sure that an elephants' cemetery is to be found somewhere in the locality. To this cemetery all ailing elephants repair and very often there they die.

It is a great stroke of luck to discover an elephants' cemetery, for a fine haul of ivory is certain to be secured. But ivory is found lying in the forests from time to time; and, of course, these tusks lie as they fall, read to be picked up.

At the present time there is a great shortage of ivory all over the world; the demand is always greater than the supply. But there are big stores of ivory in the universe for all that.

In several parts of Africa the chieftains of savage races have big stocks on hand, but these chiefs quite understand the commercial value of ivory, and never at any time do they put a large quantity on the market; it is doled out in small parcels, so to speak; so evidently these chiefs have a good idea of what a "corner" means in the commercial sense.

Ivory at the present time costs from $750 to $1,000 per hurdredweight, but certain qualities run much higher in price. Thus, there is an ivory that comes from Zanzibar, known as "soft tooth" quality, that is very costly. It is the the finest ivory known to commerce, but the supply is limited. A single tusk of ivory weighs, on an average, about ninety pounds, but you can get a tusk weighing twenty pounds or 180 pounds, they differ so greatly.

Billiard balls are always cut from the finest ivory, but usually they are not cut from the largest size of tusks—the moderately small tusk yields the best results so far as billiard balls are concerned. The ivory reaches the billiard ball maker in the form of small blocks or squares.

Ivory is white in color, but its history is red—it has an evil past, most particularly the ivory that emanates from the storehouse of savage chieftains. These chiefs have often come by their ivory in no recognized commercial way—usually each piece of ivory added to the store means the loss of human life. These chiefs will commit murder in cold blood in order to secure a tusk!

Those in the ivory trade will tell you that ivory, or rather the gaining of ivory, has cost more human lives than war, and that is saying a good deal.

When her child is in danger a woman will risk her life to protect it. No great act of heroism or risk of life is necessary to protect a child from croup. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and all danger is avoided. For sale by all dealers.

New Translation.

While Woodrow Wilson was in Chattanooga on his recent tour one of the features of the program arranged for his entertainment was an automobile sightseeing trip through the city. As the party slowed up from time to time at some particularly interesting point the colored chauffeur volunteered bits of local information. They were passing the new city hall and Mr. Wilson read aloud the date on the corner-stone—1909 A. D. "George," remarked one of the party, addressing the chauffeur, "can you tell us what the A. D. stands for?" "Suttinly, boss, suttinly," responded George, without the quiver of an eyelid. "Why, dat dere 'A. D.' stands fo' 'all done.'"

Overheard in Court.

Jimpsonberry and Harkaway had been haled up before the court for speeding. "Fifty dollars apiece," said the judge. "All the evidence before this here bench goes to prove that you fellers was racin' along at fifty miles an hour." "But, judge," protested Jimpsonberry, "my car can't possibly go more than thirty miles an hour." "And the limit of mine is thirty-five," pleaded Harkaway. "Waal, s'posin' it is," demanded the judge. "Thirty and thirty-five comes to sixty-five, don't it? By gorry, I'll add a dollar to the fines of both of ye."—Harper's Weekly.

Thousands of Eyes See "Republican Want Ads"

Many Dig for Gold.

Savannah, Ga.—Digging for gold believed to have been lost from a Spanish ship, hundreds of years ago, has become a popular pastime on St. Mary's river, from King's Ferry to Coleraine.

You are probably aware that pneumonia always results from a cold, but you never heard of a cold resulting in pneumonia when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was used. Why take the risk when this remedy may be had for a trifle? For sale by all dealers.

Too Busy for Serious Things.

The growing indifference of the age is appalling: men are too busy with their pleasures, their money-making, their politics, and a thousand things. —Exchange

Arch Downs left this morning for St. Louis to accept a position on a railroad.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1912.

FIXING RATE OF ASSESSMENT

J. B. Cross Took Prominent Part In Indianapolis Meeting.

J. B. Cross returned this morning from Indianapolis where he attended a conference of the state tax board and county assessors of Central Indiana. He 'was chairman of the important committee which fixed the rate of assessments of bonds, mortgages and notes. The rate of assessment of these, to be followed by county and township assessors in the belt of counties represented at the meetings, will be 75 per cent of their face value.

The schedule at which various staple properties are to be assessed by these officials was decided on, but can not be made public until the official report of similar action taken at a meeting of all the county assessors in the state with the tax commissioners is given out. The staples schedule, voted for yesterday, follows exactly the principles laid down in the action of the larger meeting in January.

The action Wednesday also declared that farm implements and household goods were to be listed for taxation at what the assessor in his judgement believes a fair price.

Small Store Burned.

The small grocery store on west Brown street, conducted by Eudarius Lewis, colored, burned about 8 o'clock this morning. Practically all of the stock was destroyed and the building is a wreck. Lewis' loss is estimated at $200 covered by insurance. The building was owned by Mrs. Ruth Harris, mother of Lewis. It is thought her loss is from $150 to $200. The fire started from a defective flue or overheated stove. Some little delay in the arrival of the fire department at the fire was casued by failure to send in a call properly. The police department was hurriedly called and told there was a fire and to send the department. Those calling, in their hurry neglected to say where the fire was and some delay was occasioned in locating it.

Draws the Line on Eggs

The Columbus city council has decided that hereafter poor families quarantined because of smallpox will have to do without eggs unless it be shown that eggs are absolutely necessary.

A bill for groceries filed against the city by a grocer who supplied one family for about three weeks included the price of thirteen dozen eggs, and the councilmen objected. They also found that a number of families who have been supplied with provisions at the expense of the city are objecting seriously to having quarantine lifted and their food supply cut off. The woman in one home under quarantine wished the city to furnish a cook to prepare the free groceries while the quarantine regulations were maintained.

Boys' Meeting.

Every boy in Seymour is invited to attend the boys' meeting which will be held next Sunday afternoon at the Frst Baptist Church. Rev. C. E. Watkins will speak to the boys. Mr. Watkins spoke this morning to three of the rooms in the grades at the Shields building and had an enthusiastic response. Every boy who heard him will want to hear him again. The meeting is in charge of Supt. J. A. Linke, chairman of the boys' committee of One Hundred.

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OTHERS MUST KEEP HANDS OFF

Prospective Grabs on the Part of Covetous Powers Will Find a Checkmate in Concerted Action Taken by This Government and the Government of the Kaiser Declaring That Trespassers Must Keep Out of China.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Secretary of State Knox has again put the United States in a position of protector of the integrity of the Chinese empire and in a note to the German ambassador places this government on record in favor of a policy of "hands off" during the present political upheaval in China.

The publication of the note is also regarded as in effect a declaration to the world that the United States and Germany will be found acting together against any grab in China by other powers. The publication of the note follows an exchange between the governments of Germany and the United States in regard to the situation. The note was handed to Ambassador Bernstorff in response to an inquiry from his government as to the attitude and general impressions of the United States in regard to conditions in China. Copies of the note have been placed in the hands of the governments of other powers chiefly interested in China, namely Russia, England, Italy and Japan. It is expected that the text of the note and the circumstances under which its publication was agreed upon by Germany and the United States, will have a strong effect in regard to future developments in China.

Full faith in the adhesion of all the powers to the policy of non-intervention and absolute neutrality in the Chinese situation is expressed by Secretary Knox in his note. He further says that the United States is firmly convinced that in the event of further steps by the powers in the Chinese situation, all will agree to the policy of concerted action. Secretary Knox also declares it to be the policy of the United States to discourage its national bankers from making any loan to either side in the Chinese situation, regarding a loan to either a violation of the policy of absolute neutrality.

This step on the part of Secretary Knox is plainly a move in continuation of the Hay policy in regard to China. Germany has from the first been most heartily in accord with the United States in maintaining the integrity of China and the absolute neutrality of the powers during the present revolution. There is no doubt in Washington that the import of the Knox note will be fully realized by the governments to which it has been communicated. Though the American secretary of state has succeeded in couching his expression of policy in the most diplomatic terms, its significance as the warning note will, it is thought, be clearly seen by the other powers. The fact that the writing and publication of the Knox note is the result of an understanding between Germany and the United States will greatly add to the force of the document. The other powers, according to the Washington view, will hesitate long before embarking upon a policy of advancing their special interests by taking advantage of China's distress with Germany and the United States standing together before the world in opposition to any such move.

TRAIN ROBBERS

Make a Big Haul in Hard Cash Down in Arkansas.

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 8.—Five men plundered the mail and express cars of a Rock Island train near Hulbert, Ark., and made away with their booty long before an alarm was spread and posses could seek their trail. The holdup was so cleverly planned and executed with such precision that none of the train employes could offer resistance and few of the passengers knew anything had happened until they awoke to find their train stalled.

While the express company has given out no statement, it is reported money consigned to a bank in Oklahoma, estimated at between $60,000 and $75,000, had been taken from the express car by the robbers.

WEATHER EVERYWHERE

Observations of United States weather bureaus taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

	Temp.	Weather.
New York	29	Cloudy
Boston	30	Pt. Cloudy
Denver	26	Cloudy
San Francisco	50	Cloudy
St. Paul	—4	Clear
Chicago	16	Clear
Indianapolis	24	Cloudy
St. Louis	22	Clear
New Orleans	54	Clear
Washington	30	Cloudy

Fair, somewhat colder.

NEWSY PARAGRAFS.

The J. H. Matlock sale was well attended and goods sold well.

Miss Ora Jones is seriously ill at her home on South Chestnut street.

A. B. Shutts has added another chair to his barber shop on North Chestnut street.

Ed Statey, a Tipton newspaper man has been appointed secretary of the Republican state committee.

Valentine day comes Wednesday, Feb. 14 and some of the show windows of the city give evidence of its approach.

A class of candidates will be initiated by the Medora K. of P. lodge tonight. A banquet and smoker will follow.

Gillard Abell, son of the chief of police, is quite sick with pneumonia fever. His condition was slightly improved this morning.

Miss Clara Schmidt will leave next Tuesday for New Orleans, La. to visit her brother, Rev. Edward Schimdt. Miss Martha Schmidt will join her in a week and they will return home together.

Mrs. Robert Bertt of Indianapolis entertained a company of friends last night at her home for Miss Mable Harris of this city. It was the anniversary of Miss Harris' twenty-first birthday.

The Kessler building, corner Third and Chestnut streets, is being remodeled. The store room is being enlarged and better adapted to the business of F. Sciarra who has occupied it as a tailoring and furnishing store.

Marion Henrietta Capoot, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Capoot of Allendale, Ill., died Feb. 4 at the age of 1 year and 10 months. Mrs. Capoot is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brodhecker of Brownstown.

The Columbus Grange had a big celebration Wednesday it being the occasion of the initiation of sixty-three applicants for membership. At the public meeting which was held Elder Harley Jackson of this city made the principal address.

Beharrell Encampment No. 109, I. O. O. F. will confer the R. P. degree on a class of 20 candidates for Scottsburg encampment tomorrow evening at the local hall. After the work an oyster supper will be served. An enjoyable evening is anticipated.

The B. & O. railroad has enlisted in the nation-wide crusade for the extermination of tuberculosis, having fitted up an anti-tuberculosis, car at its Mount Clare shops at Baltimore for the Maryland association for the prevention and relief of tuberculosis which will visit the towns of Maryland in an educating campaign looking to the eradication of the white plague. The car is designed to display anti-tuberculosis exhibits and lectures will be delivered on the prevention of the disease by local physicians at the cities and towns to be visited in the state. The car may later visit the cities through this section on the B. & O. S-W.

Hal McDonald was arraigned before Justice Congdon this morning on a charge of gaming, the charge having been filed by Ed McElvaine. The defendant claimed exemption from prosecution under the statute granting same to persons who turn state's evidence in gambling cases. F. W. Wesner, acting prosecutor, went on the stand and testified to the law in the matter and that an agreement had been made also with McDonald that he would not be presocuted if he appeared as state's witness in the case against McElvaine for conducting a gambling house. McElvaine pleaded guilty Wednesday to the charge against him.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.

Wheat—Wagon, 98c; No. 2 red, 99½c. Corn—No. 3, 66½c. Oats—No. 2 white, 53¾c. Hay—Baled, $18.00 @ 20.00; timothy, $23.00@25.00; mixed, $21.00 @ 23.00. Cattle—$3.00 @ 8.25. Hogs—$5.00@6.45. Sheep—$2.00@3.75. Lambs—$3.50@6.50. Receipts—6,500 hogs; 1,400 cattle; 500 sheep.

At Cincinnati.

Wheat—No. 2 red, $1.03. Corn—No. 2, 67c. Oats—No. 2, 55½c. Cattle—$3.25@7.35. Hogs—$3.50@6.50. Sheep—$1.25@3.65. Lambs—$4.25@6.66.

At Chicago.

Wheat—No. 2 red, $1.03. Corn—No. 3, 64¾c. Oats—No. 2, 53¼c. Cattle—Steers, $4.00@8.50; stockers and feeders, $3.80@6.00. Hogs—$5.55@6.35. Sheep—$2.25@4.70. Lambs—$4.40 @ 6.65.

At St. Louis.

Wheat—No. 2 red, $1.02½. Corn—No. 3, 64c. Oats—No. 2, 52½c. Cattle—Steers, $5.00@7.75. Hogs—$4.00 @6.35. Sheep—$2.25@4.80. Lambs—$4.25@6.85.

At East Buffalo.

Cattle—$3.25@8.15. Hogs—$4.50@ 6.60. Sheep—$2.00@4.60. Lambs—$3.50 @7.15.

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The officers have been making some investigation of the case of George Sprague, who is at his home speechless and helpless. He has been in this condition since Tuesday evening and the report has been that it is caused by paralysis. It is stated however that an examination shows his knees to be badly skinned and a bruised place on his spine. According to the information gathered Sprague while very cold late Tuesday evening went into the lunch room in the rear of the Lange saloon and buying a bowel of soup sat down behind the stove to eat it. A littie later it is said others in the place saw Sprague sitting in what appeared to be a helpless condition and when spoken to did not respond. Investigation showed that he could not move and appeared in a paralyzed condition. The evidence it is believed indicates that he has been either the victim of a severe accident or of rough handling some time recently.

C. W. Burkart was called to Covington, Ky. this afternoon on account of the serious illness of his sister, Mrs. Ora J. Roberts.

PERSONAL.

Fred Mitchell of the B. & O. was in Cincinnati today.

Miss Ora Armstrong went to Columbus this afternoon.

O. H. Montgomery went to Brownstown this morning on legal business.

Ben Furman of Marion, came today to attend the funeral of Mrs. Mary Furman.

E. A. Potter of Chicago, an officer of the Public Service Company, was here today.

Mrs. C. A. Chambers went to Columbus this afternoon to visit Miss Anna Reap.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Kelso of Louisville came today to visit Mr. and Mrs. George Snyder.

Mrs. Anna Litzy of North Vernon, is here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Mary Furman.

Mrs. John Miller Hinderleider of Medora left Wednesday for Florida for the benefit of her health.

Mrs. William Hyland has returned from Bedford where she visited her daughter, Mrs. William Walls.

Miss Amelia VonFange arrived home today from Lincoln, Kas., where she has been visiting for several months.

Clarence Stark, timber buyer for the Greeman furniture factory, went to Waymansville this morning on business.

Mrs. Alexandar Sage and children returned to their home in North Vernon today after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Steven Darb.

Miss Blanche Reinbolt of Brownstown, was called here Wednesday on account of the illness of her aunt, Mrs. Alice Gray Cox.

Miss Ina Hamilton, who is attending the conservatory of music at Indianapolis, was here today on her way to her home in Medora.

Miss Stella Whiteford of Vincennes, who has been quite sick, was brought here Wednesday to the home of her sister, Mrs. Ella Manuel, until she recovers.

Miss Marion France, who has been visiting Miss Lula Cunningham for several days, returned to DePauw University this morning where she is attending school.

Mrs. Clarence Ireland of Terre Haute, who was called to Brownstown last week by the serious illness of her brother, Morris Burrell, was here today on her way home. She left her brother much improved.

Claude Brodhecker, oldest son of the Banner editor and wife, who has been compelled to walk on crutches since last May on account of a serious affection of the bones of his right ankle, has so far improved as to be able to walk about without his crutches in the house, but he will continue to use them until all danger is over of slipping upon the ice and snow while walking upon the streets. An X-ray examination last week indicated that the bone had healed and with proper care, and barring accidents, there is no reason to believe that a complete recovery will soon be effected.—Brownstown Banner.

Everyone reads the Want Ads.

UNCLE SAM'S WAR DOGS OF THE SEA

(Continued from first page)

cient numbers to meet the constantly growing needs of the Navy, it is necessary to offer substantial inducements; for it is realized that the spectacular features of a seafaring life would not of themselves be sufficient to attract the ambitious young men who desire to improve their condition. The pay in the Navy compares most favorably with that of the best paid labor in any vocation, when it is considered that the principal items of expense—board, lodging, doctor's bills, etc.—are eliminated.

To enable the young man to win success in the Navy, he should possess an aptitude for the sea, a willingness to obey orders, and the necessary amount of stamina to help the rough places in the early part of his naval career, until he has "found himself." The pathway to success in the Navy is beset by as many obstacles as the average career in civil life, but the goal is well worth striving for. Steady advancement awaits the ambitious young man, through the various subordinate ratings to that of chief petty officer, which is the ranking position in the enlisted force. After serving seven years creditably at sea the chief of first class petty officer is eligible for examination for appointment to warrant grade—boatswain, gunner, carpenter, machinist and pharmacist—an intermediate grade between the chief petty officer and the commissioned rank. Warrant officers are appointed for life and their pay ranges from $1,500 to $2,400 a year according to length of service. They are frequently given command of smaller vessels, depots or magazines. On board battleships they have their own mess, and they receive the same benefits of retirement as are allowed commissioned officers. After six years' service a warrant officer may be commissioned a chief warrant officer, if he passes a satisfactory examination.

Having attained warrant rank, however, the man of ambition has not availed himself of all the opportunities open to men in the Navy, for he may still try for a commission. The law permits the appointment each year of twelve ensigns from among boatswains, gunners, and machinists who have served as a warrant officer at least four years, and are under 35 years of age. Since this law took effect in 1901, 26 warrant officers have passed competitive examinations and have received their commissions. These officers are now in line for the highest command rank in the Navy. It is by no means an easy matter for an enlisted man to attain a commission, for it should be remembered that he must be qualified, mentally, morally, and professionally, for a commissioned officer, according to the standard of graduates of the Naval Academy, if he is to receive all the rights of rank and privileges of naval academy graduates.

As a training institution the Navy is unique. Under the system in vogue in the service the unskilled and undisciplined boys received through the recruiting offices are devoloped in a remarkably short time into efficient man-o-warsmen— alert, well set-up, with hardened muscles and a military bearing, capable of performing in a thorough manner, the duties assigned them.

The training features consist of numerous trade schools, and the large training stations for the instruction of apprentice seamen. The diversified duties on board the modern vessel call for the employment of many different classes of artisans, and offer to the recruit an opportunity to enter the Navy in almost any line of work he chooses. Since the duties in the various trades in the Navy differ essentially from those of the shops and industrial plants in civil life, the navy trains its own mechanics, maintaining schools for the instruction of electricians, machinists, shipfitters, shipwrights, carpenters, coppersmiths, blacksmiths, painters, plumbers, musicians, cooks, bakers, commissary stewards, yeomen (clerks), and the hospital corps. In addition there are seaman gunner schools for the higher instruction of young men who desire to become more proficient in the care and handling of guns, in torpedo work or in mine laying.

Life in the Navy is strenuous. There is no place for the laggard or the shirk. To win out, a young man must make the best use of his energies, keep his head clear, and his nerves steady. If he will do that, he can feel assured that success will come to him, in a measure entirely commensurate with his abilities.

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When little yellowish pimples or watery blisters form on the hairy portions of the face and body, it is a sign of barber's itch, which is very contagious and if allowed to become chronic, is painful and produces permanent scars.

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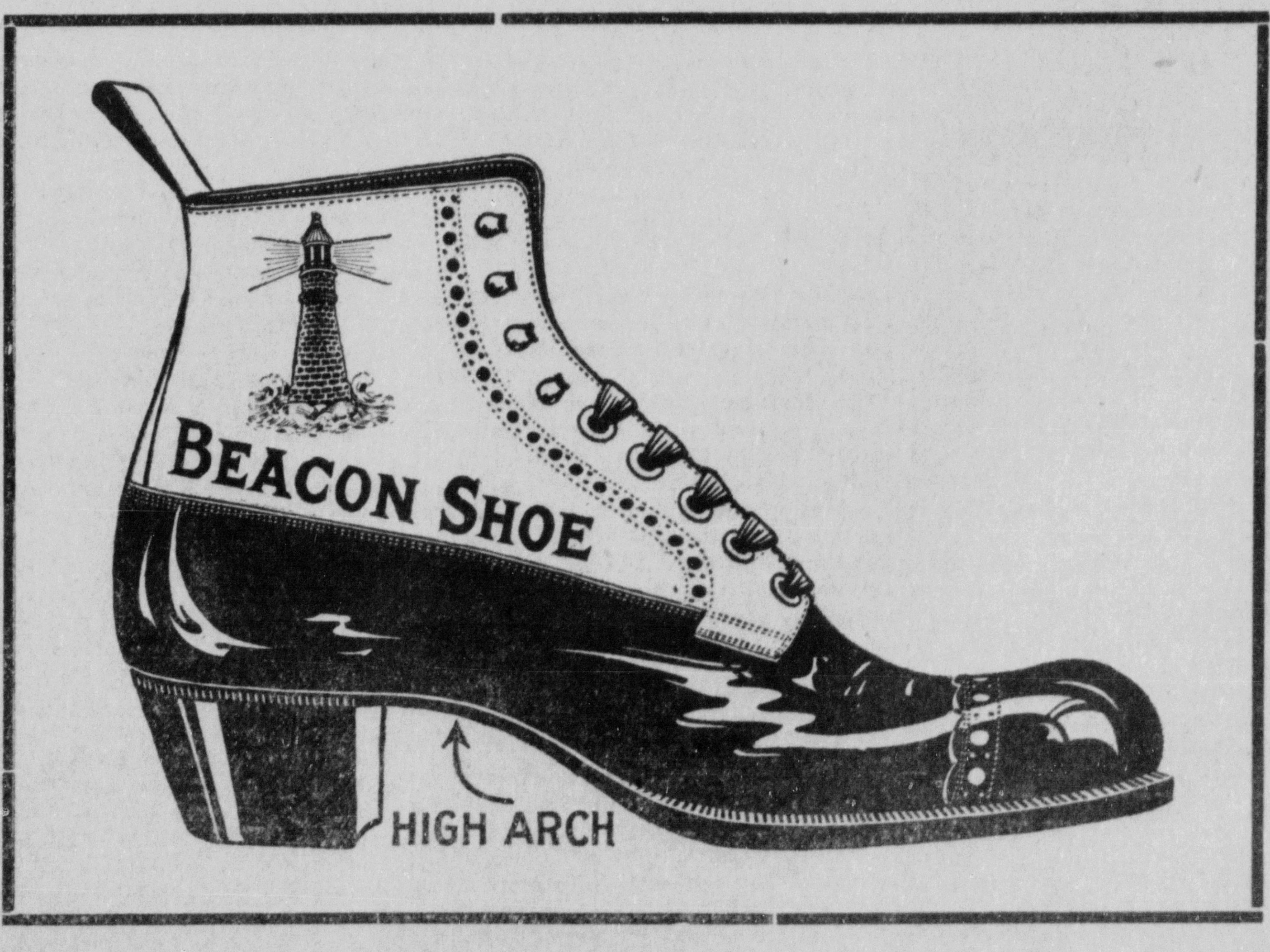
William A. Dickmeyer, a young farmer of Driftwood township, has announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for county coroner.



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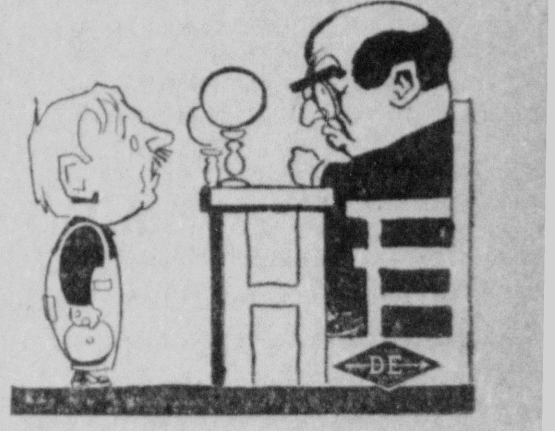

If you want to engage a carpenter to do some good work for you, don't ask him any questions about his ability as a workman. Just ask him to let you see his tools.

You can judge a carpenter by his tools. Good carpenters have good tools. They are proud of them. Look at his chisels, for instance; they are his special pets.

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Elmo, Mo.—"I think your Vegetable Compound is wonderful for it has helped me. I had four doctors and they said I had female troubles and a tumor and nothing but an operation would help me. I could not sit still long enough to eat, and could sleep hardly any I was in so much misery with pains in my side and back.

"A year ago last spring my doctor gave me up, and he was surprised to see me this spring and to see my condition. I give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound the praise wherever I go for I know I would not be here today or have our fine baby boy if I had not taken it." —Mrs. SARAH J. STUART, R.F.D. No. 2, Box 16, Elmo, Mo.

The success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, is unparalleled. It may be used with perfect confidence by women who suffer from displacements, inflammation, ulceration, tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, or nervous prostration. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the standard remedy for female ills.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

New Ice Craft.

Thousands of persons who gather along the Shrewsbury river to witness the annual iceboat and scooter races stared in amazement when something that appeared to be a rocket from the skies shot over the ice, passing the ice boats as if they were at a standstill. When the weird looking craft was brought to a stop at the north end of the course the crowd swarmed about the contrivance and found it to be a small sized runabout automobile transformed into what may be called an autoscooter. The autoscooter was constructed by Fred Waters of Red Bank. —New York American.

Father Was Close.

The following question was asked by a social worker in a conversation with a shabby urchin of the Milwaukee slums: "Sonny, suppose I lend your father $20; how long will it take him to pay me back at the rate of $5 a week?" The boy responded at once: "All his lifetime, and then some." "Why," said the inquisitive sociologist, "how long do you expect your father to live?" "Well, you don't know my ma's man. He might live 300 years, but you can't get even two bits from him."

Printing Stamps of Glue.

Printing stamps quickly made from glue instead of rubber are a German idea. Several sheets of tinfoil are laid on the type form, covered with felt, and a deep impression is taken on a press, the resulting tinfoil matrix being oiled and surrounded with oiled lead sills. Melted joiners' glue mixed with a little printers' roller composition is used for the casting. The stamp is mounted on a wooden handle, and, though rather soft at first, hardens in a few days without losing the necessary elasticity.

Task for the Schools.

"What we want the schools to do is to make intelligent citizens and also virtuous citizens—those who can control themselves. A boy has been described as a centaur, half horse and half man. And his life depends on whether the man shall drive the horse, or the horse drive the man. We want the reins of self-control placed in the hands of the graduating boy. We cannot maintain a self-governing republic unless we have citizens who are self-governing."—Dr. Lyman Abbott.

NERVOUS DEBILITY

Trial Package of a Remarkable Cure Mailed FREE.

We are giving absolutely free a trial package of Wade's Golden Nervine to every nervous, worn, debilitated man or woman who will send name to Gem Medicine Co., St. Louis, Mo. This free treatment will prove to you that Wade's Golden Nervine is without an equal for the cure of Nervous Debility, Neurasthenia, Insomnia, Weak Heart, Nervous Headache, Nervous Indigestion, and all weakened conditions of the system, where a restorative and up-building tonic is required. Contains no alcohol or Narcotic. Wade's Golden Nervine is the very highest type of medical product, and contains more genuine restorative and vitalizing power than any other medicine ever compounded. Nearly all druggists now sell it. In all weak and run down conditions brought on by excesses, dissipation, worry, overwork, etc., there is positively nothing like it to promote and restore strength, vigor, and vitality. Try it today. Wade's Golden Nervine is sold by

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The Christian's Obligation

By Edward A. Marshall, Instructor of Missions, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago

Who is there among the Christian young people of today who has never asked himself the question: "Should I be a missionary?" especially during spiritual awakening, when devotion to Christ was being emphasized. Such a questioning of conscience is usually followed by an inner conflict of reasoning and excuse making, all of which silently but surely test the solidity of the heart's consecration.

You may ask, "After all, why should this question trouble me, I have no call?" Have you forgotten that when you accepted Christ this was included among the items for your consideration? You have passed it by. If, in the church where you are a member ,a notice was read from the pulpit inviting every member to attend a social the following evening, would you be foolish enough to afterward insist that you had received no invitation and refuse to attend? The opposite would be the rule, for any candidate for membership, expecting to unite soon, would expect such a purpose sufficient ground to entitle him to be present. Thus your church membership and mine involves our responce to the call of the Great Commission.

The plan of God for appointing and directing the work of his children is a most natural one. When a person is converted, God would have him come to the bureau of divine commissions and there receive his appointment for service. one can rightfully excuse himself, for when he accepts the benefits of the salvation of Christ he thereby obligates himself to obedience in the service of Christ.

God could not have a book on earth containing all the names of Christians throughout the age and giving the life work of each; for our free agency would then be lost. God chose the better plan: to have each child come to him in prayer and talk his life work over. Do not ask, and run away, but tarry until your conviction has become settled, for it is this Divine conviction which constitutes God's call. Many have committed spiritual suicide by hastening away with some impulsive conclusion before God had a chance to speak. Such people have often wondered why they make shipwreck in their faith life or why spiritual things seem closed to them. It is no mystery. Divine teaching and guidance are given only to those who follow closely the instruction of the Teacher in God's school of learning. Deception and delusion always follow self-will in gaining spiritual things.

Every Christian should therefore definitely present himself before God for the assignment to his life work. Have you? Public sentiment, nowever, seems to have laid this responsibility only upon those who go as missionaries.

Dare you say that it is not really necessary for every Christian to obtain from God a conviction as to what he should do with his life. The logician will at once take the words from your lips and declare it is then not necessary for any Christian. Wisdom, like water, floats everything on a level surface Bring these false theories concerning missionary work before your better judgment, and ecclesiastical distinctions and privileged classes will sing to the bottom, leaving all Christians on an even footing, and each responsible before God for his share of the evangelization of the world.

Public sentiment has poisoned the atmosphere with so much anti-missionary sentiment that many children have grown up with no little prejudice against becoming missionaries. When a person does go from a community these children see so many tears and hear so many words of regret they feel that going to be a missionary is a misfortune. This adds very materially to the difficulty God encounters in human wills in trying to secure obedience in enough of his children to evangelize the world in this generation. All this prejudice and bitterness must be worked out of the mind, and a transformation wrought, before sympathy and love for the heathen will be entertained and a conviction of personal obligation can be possible.

Crushing such a conviction of personal responsibility to take the Gospel to the heathen, is a spiritual crime. It affects every spiritual nerve just as girdling a tree affects every branch and leaf. The one who disobeys his call to the foreign field finds himself strangely paralyzed in his work here at home, especially in his pleas for foreign missions.

The question of today is not, "Will you be a missionary?" but will you present yourself before God for appointment to any work, to any field; wherever he knows you can do your best life work?

THEIR LIVES SHORT

MANY ABANDONED RAILROADS IN UNITED STATES.

Records Show 81 Steel Highways Whose Use Has Been Discontinued—Reasons Ascribed for Their Being Given Up.

Records for 1910 show that in the United States there are 81 abandoned railroads. From 18 the rails have been removed and 34 are described as "not in operation" or "operation suspended." In regard to the first class, the franchises seem to have expired by disuse, but the tracks are still in evidence; in the second class the company has pulled up stakes and quit, in the third a variety of causes may have contributed to the stopping of wheels, says the Railroad Man's Magazine.

The shutting down of the railroad may simply mean that it has outlived its usefulness. The neighborhood served by the line may have developed in a fashion that the builders hardly contemplated and with which the rails and rolling stock are incapable of dealing. Along comes capital and either gobbles up the little road altogether or puts it out of business by offering the traveling public facilities and accommodations that it cannot attempt to rival. It is really prosperity that shuts down such a road.

Then there have been roads built on the basis of the anticipated boom of a resort, a town or a section. The hope of the boomers not being realized the line goes into the discard.

Again, the initial promises of a mining district are such that a line is built for its benefit. The district doesn't pan out or goes barren after a time, and in consequence the road is abandoned.

The same is true of regions in which the natural resources are many or enticing, notably in those that yield oil. The disuse of lumber roads is inevitable also. The timber states are dotted with the remains of rusty rights of way, and almost every year adds to their number.

In many cases electricity has taken the place of steam where the line is a short one and used chiefly for passenger traffic. Sometimes where this has happened it has been found cheaper to build a new road than to tinker with the old one and so the latter is ticketed "abandoned."

One of the smallest and perhaps most unprofitable railroads in the United States was the abandoned Kentucky Northern that ran from Sincoe, Ky., to a junction with the Louisville & Atlantic railroad, a distance of eight miles. It was incorporated in May 1902. From the first it proved to be a drain on the pocketbooks of the stockholders. The surrounding population seems to have disliked the line. Not enough passenger tickets were sold and not enough freight was shipped to pay for the keeping of one locomotive, its lone passenger coach or its solitary flat car. In the year ended June, 1908, its operating expenses were $12,333 and its net earnings $697. About this time it was concluded that the wisest plan would be to abandon the road.

A whole group of railroads that once had their termini in Cincinnati have either had their rails taken up or are not in operation, the reason being their practical absorption by near-by large railroad interests.

MANIA FOR SPEED TO BLAME

Americans Demand Fast Rate of Travel and as a Consequence Lives Are Sacrificed.

"The engineer took a 'cross-over' switch at a speed of 60 miles an hour, violating a rule limiting the rate to 15 miles. He died at his post," says the report of the latest railroad accident, in which 12 people were killed.

Why did he violate the rule? The train was late and the engineer was striving to make up time. That is the whole story, so far as it is told in the news dispatches. But why was he trying to make up time?

The New Haven railroad is one of the safest and best managed in the country in many respects. But the engine driver who makes up lost time without an accident is valued on every American railroad. In this case the driver took the risk, and he now is where criticism cannot harm him. If he were alive, however, he probably would say: "I was caught, boys; that is all."

Not railroad managers alone are responsible for this tendency to take risks, but the public also. It is part of our American life. We demand it, until the catastrophe comes, when we blame the engine driver. When an employe carries out orders faithfully he too often displeases his superiors, who in turn displease the public.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Not All Handicaps.

"I got my hand stung by a sea nettle," said the young girl.

"Terrible; too bad."

"It wasn't so bad. Four young men insisted on holding my hand all at once."

ALL FAVOR RAILROAD BONDS

Figures Show How Highly They Are Considered as a Judicious Investment.

The annual report just issued by the Connecticut Insurance commission, giving the assets and form of investment of the life insurance companies doing business in that state, supplies impressive evidence of the "indirect" railroad stockholder and bondholder. The returns of twenty-eight companies inside and outside the state give total assets amounting to the great sum of $2,990,291,000. Of that amount $1,432,114,000 is invested in "stocks and bonds."

Unfortunately the proportion in railway stocks and bonds is not summarized, but a glance at the separate investments, as grouped but not added, shows that they form a very large part. As an illustration, one old and conservative Connecticut company has sixty-five investments in railway stocks and bonds as compared with but seventeen investments in stocks and bonds of other corporations.

Out of Harvard university's total investments of $19,060,268 there is $5,453,059 in steam railway bonds, $1,549,880 in street railway bonds and $1,927,338 in railway stocks—$8,930,277, or nearly one-half the total investment. Or, again, in a more specific and limited case, take recent returns of the Massachusetts savings banks, showing that out of three issues alone of the New York. New Haven and Hartford those banks hold $22,499,000, or about 28 per cent.—Railway Age Gazette.

PARASOL STOPPED A TRAIN

It was Red and the Engineer Not Unnaturally Thought It Was a Signal.

A curious incident has come to light in connection with the stopping of a London train on the Caledonian main line near Rockliffe station, a few miles north of Carlisle, says the Railroad Employee. The train was running at full speed when the engineer observed a red object by the side of the line wihch he regarded as a danger signal.

The train was accordingly pulled up, when it was found that the object in question was a red parasol carried by a woman who, wishing to cross the line at a level crossing, was awaiting the passing of the express.

A case as singular happened a number of years ago on the Old Colony railroad near the North Easton station, says former Superintendent J. H. French of that system. Coming from Stoughton, the Fall River line boat train approaches North Easton upon a considerable grade, passing the station by a curve, then under a low highway bridge on to straight track again.

One dark night the train came to an emergency stop at North Easton station, and upon investigation the cause proved to be the tiny red glass of a bicycle lamp resting against the side while its owner watched the approach of the train.

Economy in Railroading.

A fireman was up for examination for promotion to the position of engineer. He passed a fair test on the rules and machinery, but during all of it the examiner was constantly lecturing him as to the need of economy in the use of fuel and oil, so that by the time he finished his examination it was pretty well on his nerves.

Having finished the technical part the examiner thought he would put the man in a critical position to see what he might do in an emergency. So he put to him this question: "Supposing you are the engineer of a freight train on a single track, and you are in a head-on collision with a passenger train and you know that you could not stop your train, that a collision could not be averted, what would you do?"

The man, unstrung by the vigorous instruction he had received as to economy, replied in this way: "Why, I would grab the oil can in one hand and a lump of coal in the other and jump."—Atchison Globe.

Curious Mishap to Train.

A sack of tailor's cuttings which fell from an express goods train a mile north of Dumfries, Scotland, caused a lot of trouble the other morning. The cuttings became entangled in the wheels of a wagon, and caused the truck to leave the metals. When the train was pulled up after half a mile five wagons were found derailed, one of them being turned upsidedown. As a result of the curious mishap the line was blocked for seven hours.

Protection for Wild Birds.

New Jersey has a new law, which went into effect this month, aimed against the trimming of hats with plumage of rare wild birds. In part the statute reads: "No person shall within the limits of this state kill or catch or have in his or her possession, living or dead, any wild bird other than a game bird, or purchase, offer or expose for sale any such wild bird after it has been killed or caught, and no part of the plumage, skin or body of any bird protected by this section shall be sold or had in possession for sale."

Good Work of Women.

Lady Minto is president of the National Society for Providing Medical Aid for Women and recently distributed prizes at a commencement in London, at which she said that she has been impressed with the work of women physicians who were treating native women in India and struggling to introduce modern scientific methods into the hospitals and homes of India.

Pains All Over!

"You are welcome," says Mrs. Nora Guffey, of Broken Arrow, Okla., "to use my letter in any way you want to, if it will induce some suffering woman to try Cardui. I had pains all over, and suffered with an abscess. Three physicians failed to relieve me. Since taking Cardui, I am in better health than ever before, and that means much to me, because I suffered many years with womanly troubles, of different kinds. What other treatments I tried, helped me for a few days only."

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You would always keep Cardui handy, if you knew what quick and permanent relief it gives, where weakness and disease of the womanly system makes life seem hard to bear. Cardui has helped over a million women. Try it.

Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for *Special Instructions*, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free. J 51

The KITCHEN CABINET

IT IS a good and safe rule to sojourn in every place as if you meant to spend your life there, never omitting an opportunity of doing a kindness or speaking a true word or making a friend. —Ruskin.

FISH AND FISH DISHES.

To steam fish prepare and clean the fish, wipe dry in a cheese cloth and lay in a deep pan in a steamer with a slice of onion, a bit of bayleaf and a few pepper corns and a little salt. Make a white sauce to serve with the fish from the juice which gathers in the pan.

Boiled fish should be served with highly seasoned sauces as the boiling extracts so much of the flavor of the fish. It is an extravagant method of cooking.

Fish Rabbit.—Bone sections of any fresh fish; dip in seasoned butter and place close together in a deep plate. On top spread a mixture of fine crumbs and grated cheese moistened with milk and seasoned. Bake until the cheese mixture is done and browned.

Fish Forcemeat.—Chop any raw white fish and mix with each pound two eggs, one cup of thick white sauce, or a cup of thick cream and a cup of bread crumbs, season with salt, pepper, onion and lemon juice. This may be used to stuff fish or to roll up in turbans, or cook in the form of croquettes, or steam in a mold, or shape in small balls and cook in water and use as a garnish for soup. Small fish are usually rolled in cornmeal or flour before frying and are cooked in hot salt pork fat in a frying pan.

Salt mackerel should be thoroughly soaked, flesh side down over night or longer, then place in the oven with a little water and just before serving pour over a cup of sweet, thick cream; when hot serve.

Baked Fish.—Spread butter over a baking pan or lay in slices of salt pork, sprinkle over it an onion minced fine, lay on this a thin slice of fish or any small whole fish, split down the middle. Add a tablespoonful of vinegar and spread the fish thickly with flour and butter rubbed together. Bake until the fish is tender and serve with a sauce made from the gravy in the pan.

Nellie Maxwell.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by consitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Some Happy Sayings.

"Real etiquette," says Judge Pettingill in the Chanute Tribune, "is looking out of the window while your guest drinks out the finger bowl." Some other opinions handed down by the judge this week were these: "The short skirts the women are wearing make them look much younger. Some of them, in fact, will be run in by the truancy officer and sent to school, if they aren't careful." . . . "The fellow who rates his friends by the size of their pocketbooks is about as good a judge of human values as the girl who won't look at anybody but pretty men." . . . "What every town needs is not more men to make booster speeches at commercial club banquets or street corner orations telling how the city government should be run, but more men who will sprinkle salt on their sleety sidewalks."

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The Andrews Drug Co.

We have been in business in this town for some time, and we are looking to build up trade by always advising our patrons right.

So when we tell you that we have found the eczema remedy and that we stand back of it with the manufacturer's iron clad guarantee, backed by ourselves you can depend upon it that we give our advice not in order to sell a few bottles of medicine to skin sufferers, but because we know how it will help our business if we help our patrons.

We keep in stock and sell, all the well known skin remedies. But we will say this: If you are suffering from any kind of skin trouble, eczema, psoriasis, rash or tetter, we want you to try a full size bottle of D. D. D. Prescription. And, if it does not do the work, this bottle will cost you nothing. You alone to judge.

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D. D. D. Prescription made by the D. D. D. Laboratories of Chicago, is composed of thymol, glycerine, oil of wintergreen and other healing, soothing, cooling ingredients. And if you are just crazy with itch, you will feel soothed and cooled, the itch absolutely washed away the moment you applied this D. D. D.

We have **made fast friends of more than one family** by recommending this remedy to a skin sufferer here and there and we want you to try it now on our positive no-pay guarantee.

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Three Federal gunboats from the Fort Henry fleet reached Florence, Ala., on a reconnoissance of the Tennessee river.

AROUND THE CAMP FIRE

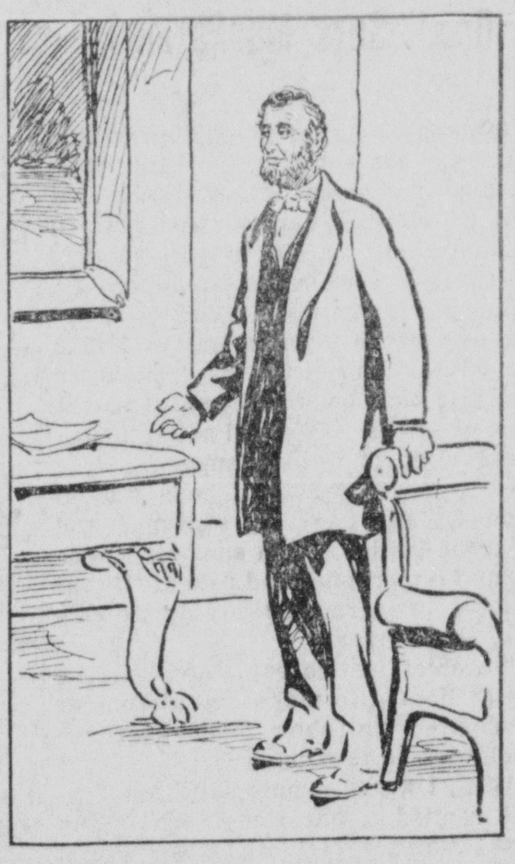
LINCOLN DURING CIVIL WAR

Youngster Thought Martyr President the Most Ungainly Man He Had Ever Beheld.

Thomas W. Lloyd of Pennsylvania tells the following stories about Lincoln and the children:

At the beginning of the war I was a mere lad. Like all other boys at that time I was fired with patriotic spirit and went about the village streets making speeches and urging every man to enlist. I did not then know what the war meant, but I knew our side. My enthusiasm was so great that any appearance on the street was a signal to get me up on a store goods box to make a speech. My father related this to Lincoln and asked permission to bring me to the White House. This was granted, and one morning we drove there and were received by the president alone. As he rose to greet us I thought he was the longest, ugliest and most ungainly man I had ever seen. When I was presented to him he leaned down, and taking me by the hand said: "So this is the little patriot? Ah, Mr. Lloyd, in these times the boy is indeed father to the man. I wish all the men in the north had his spirit." He took me on his knee and talked to me about the war, and the ugliness was forgotten. As I looked into his deep set, kindly eyes, the firm mouth, around which a smile hovered, and listened to his gentle voice I began to think he was positively handsome.

Mr Lloyd also tells the following incident, illustrating Lincoln's kindness of heart:


"I Thought He Was the Most Ungainly Man I Had Ever Seen."

A young boy who had served with distinction in a naval engagement on board the gunboat Ottawa and in another as captain's messenger was recommended to a cadetship at the naval academy at Annapolis. Lincoln was glad to make the appointment, and the lad was directed to report for examination in July. Just before starting from home it was discovered that the boy could not be admitted, being under fourteen, the required age—his birthday not occurring until the September following. The boy was bitterly disappointed and feared he would not be able to go at all. He was told he would be taken to see the president, who would make it all right. Some time afterward he was taken to the White House and presented to the president, to whom he made a graceful bow. The difficulty was explained and the president said:

"Why, bless me, is that the boy who aided so gallantly in those two battles? Why, I feel as though I should take off my hat to him and not he to me." The president took the papers and issued an order that the boy should report in September instead of in July. Then putting his hand on the lad's shoulder, he said: "Now, my boy, go home and have good fun during these two months, for they are about the last holiday you will get." The little fellow bowed himself out, feeling that the president, though a great man, was at the same time a kindly one.

His Proof.

A guard was trying to disprove the charge of being drunk which was lodged against him by the provost marshal. That functionary called another guard, and asked his reason for making the accusation. He said:

"Well, I saw him run into a lamp post. He backed away, replaced his hat on his head and started forward unsteadily again, but once more ran into the post. Three more times he tried to get past the post, and, having failed after the last attempt, he backed off and fell to the sidewalk. Clutching his head in his hands, he muttered: 'Losht; losht in an impenetrable forest.'"

Wasted Energy.

A corporal of a Michigan regiment was trying to explain a certain maneuver to a comrade whom he thought was just thick-headed. After a time he yelled angrily: "Why, it's as plain as A, B, C."

"That may all be so," said the comrade, catching the last sentence, "but I'm D-E-F."

SECRETS OF NATURE.

Why should one man's face arouse all the revulsion in our being and another's seem to lift us up out of our sordid selves into the upper regions of our better nature? Why do the world-weary women in Forbes Robertson's boardinghouse think they must have known him well down in Devonshire in those innocent days before the cares of the world and the deceitfulness of riches had choked the word of nobility and truth? Why do we all start, when he looks at us, as if those eyes were piercing to the lowest depths of the soul? The only answer is that we do not know. The more we find out about most branches of human learning, the more plainly we understand the insurmountable and despairing nature of our ignorance, says the Indianapolis Star. The mysteries that we solve only lead us to deeper mysteries farther on. This is nowhere more true than in psychology, the more fruitful field of human thought in the last few years. We are moved upon by influences seen and unseen, that we cannot control or even explain. Things are going on in the convolutions of every brain as wonderful and inscrutable as the affinities of the molecules, the exhaustless energy of radium, or the flights of our solar system through space a million miles a day toward some unknown goal.

Increasing frequency of deaths by poison compels the conclusion that it would be better for the community if deadly drugs were less easily obtained. Nearly every day's news carries its story of murder or suicide by poison. In many cases the crimes are made possible by the sale of drugs that under no circumstances should be sold indiscriminately. Evidence in these cases almost invariably shows that the criminals purchased the death potion with the same ease and lack of restriction that would attend the sale of a bar of soap, says the Chicago Journal. More rigid regulation of the sale of deadly poisons might not put a stop to these crimes, but it certainly would make them more difficult. At the least legislatures would do well to prohibit the sale of sudden death in the shape of cyanide of potassium, and other similar drugs, except to physicians and those who are known to have a legitimate use for them.

Sir Alfred Mosely, the English educator, says he is astonished at the number of American school children who are flat-footed. The malformation affects the spine, throwing the body into incorrect postures. Walking is an exercise necessary to develop and preserve the high-arched foot. Sir Alfred thinks Americans should walk more than they do.

A disgusted poet is authority for the charge that if a Milton were living in Chicago today he would be a mute, inglorious one. Magazine editors, this poet claims, look on poets as space fillers and not as soul-thrillers, which, perhaps, may be ascribed to the baneful influence of a pork-packing center on real poetry.

A Bible has been sold for $29,000. Were this a fixed valuation only millionaires might read the Book of Books—and it is to be feared they wouldn't—but as it is, there is no home so poor but may own this priceless treasure.

Recently compiled government statistics giving the number of swine in the country are apparently defective. They fail to take into account those that walk over half a dozen women in going out between acts.

A delicate little woman, seventy years old, has eaten 30 oxen, 100 cows, 200 sheep, 50 pigs, 30,000 oysters, 24,000 eggs and four and one-half tons of other food.

Those Cincinnati girls who, as an experiment, lived on seven cents a day need not be surprised if they are deluged with proposals of matrimony from swains of an economical turn.

Although the oyster has been freed of the typhoid indictment there seems to be doubt in some circles as to whether it prefers to be chewed or swallowed whole.

Orting, in the state of Washington, has sent an appeal to Boston for marriageable woman. Other cities should show proper resentment.

A St. Paul clergyman declares that a preacher needs legs, lungs and liver. He might have included bread, brains and beefsteak.

When you see a muff coming down the street look again. Nine times out of ten you will find a girl behind it.

Aviation meets accumulate deficits very readily because no fence is tall enough to hold the show.

China is no safe place for an innocent bystander at this moment.

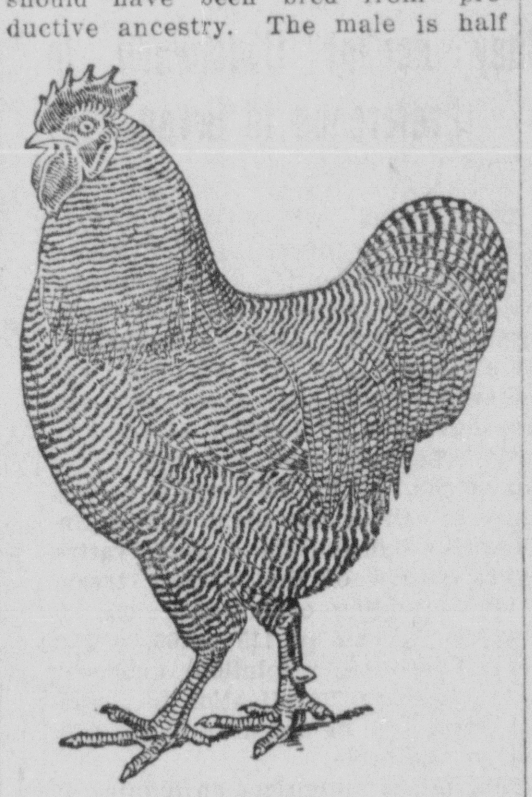
BREED CHICKENS FOR PROFIT

In Making Selection One Must Be Governed to Great Extent by Market—Cockerel Is Important.

In making the selection of breed, one must be governed somewhat by the market. Birds that sell best on the block should be medium in size, plump condition, with yellow skin and legs. Most all our American breeds have these requirements, and by careful selection at breeding time one can build up a profitable laying strain from this class of birds, such as the Plymouth Rocks or Wyandottes.

The common practice of breeding from the flock as a whole has done more harm than anything else in making the flock unprofitable as egg producers. Breeding from birds that produce but one or two clutches of eggs during the year will produce birds of like nature, and breeding a sire that has not the laying quality and characteristics bred in him cannot but help to make the situation worse.

The success with egg production must begin with breeding. When you have a hen that will lay a large number of eggs each month during the winter, breed from her. The trait of superior egg production is a habit that may be acquired and transmitted. A hen whose ancestors were poor layers cannot be expected to be a good layers. No amount of coaxing or coddling with mash or feed will induce her to produce an unusual number of eggs, because the trait of superior egg production was not acquired by her ancestry and could not therefore be transmitted to her.


Plymouth Rock.

The selection of the male to head the flock should not be neglected. He should have been bred from productive ancestry. The male is half the flock, and if his dam and granddam were good producers, he should be worth much more as a sire than those whose dam produced only a limited number of eggs.

He should have a good constitution, showing short beak, broad head and bright eye, neck short and stout, breast of good width carried well forward and of fair depth. The mating of such a sire to a flock of hens bred from laying ancestors cannot but help to give good results with proper feeding and housing.

The breeding pen should be yarded separate from the whole flock, selecting for this pen only the very best egg producers, and this should be done each year. One male with 10 or 12 females will give best results and eggs will be of stronger vitality for incubating purposes. The breeding pen should be well cared for. Quarters should be roomy, well lighted and ventilated. The quarters should at all times be kept clean and disinfected. A variety of grain feed, green cut bone and green feed is absolutely necessary to insure fertile eggs, and grit and water should be kept before them at all times.

Lay Good Sized Eggs.

Hens that produce not only a goodly number of eggs, but eggs of moderately large size, (eggs weighing two ounces each on an average) are Plymouth Rocks, Wyandottes, Rhode Island Reds, Orpingtons, Minorcas and some strains of Leghorns.

POULTRY NOTES

Never wash eggs.

The hen must have a variety to lay well.

Feed gives small returns when given to a lousy hen.

The egg should be perfect in shape, with fresh, clean appearance.

The feed is the first thing to be considered if one is to obtain fertile eggs.

Give ample feed and see that every hen has plenty, but see that she works hard for it.

The flesh of the guinea is white and tender and they are often served in city restaurants as game birds.

There is money in poultry culture, as there is in gold ore, but either takes science and labor for its extraction.

It is a difficult matter to keep lice and mites from attacking and multiplying on the sitting hen. These pests won't germinate and grow fat to wood and metal.

TO PREVENT FIRES IN NEW YORK

A bureau of fire prevention has just been organized in New York city under the new state law enacted as a result of the great Asch building fire and similar disasters. Nearly 600 inspectors will be employed by the bureau, whose officers and men are drawn from the fire department. The force will inspect buildings and will work in co-operation with the bureau of fire extinguishment. Large powers are given to the new bureau; it will have control of fire-escapes and fire-exits, cellars, dumbwaiter shafts, auxiliary fire appliances and everything designed to protect human life from fire, says the Chicago Record-Herald. A landlord who refuses to comply with the order of the bureau will be required to close his building until the changes thought necessary by the bureau have been made. The example of New York in this respect ought to be followed in many states. Illinois has made a start through the authorization by the legislature of a commission to codify the building laws and report recommendations for fire protection after examination of the laws of other states. This commission is not required to report before January 1, 1913; meantime local fire-prevention ordinances should be rigidly enforced.

Among the many lunching clubs that have grown up in all big cities one has been formed in New York which has had the foresight to establish an ironclad rule that its members shall refrain from talking shop. Conversation as an aid to digestion has much in its favor, but when there are a thousand and one other things to talk about the man who invariably talks shop makes a great mistake, says the Cincinnati Times-Star. He runs the risk of being a bore to his friends and acquaintances and a menace to himself. The business man who finds it impossible to forget business for at least the short interval required for the noonday meal lacks an accomplishment that is worth while. The ability to forget at such a time has a positive health value. The man who is eternally talking shop is not usually regarded as a valuable acquaintance. He may find others of the same feather, but the flock is not of great proportions. It should be even smaller, and to make it smaller rules such as this New York club has adopted are deserving of general imitation.

The utility of the all steel train as a life-saver was demonstrated in New Jersey last week when such a train taking a crossover switch at 50 miles an hour was completely derailed and overturned. Here would have been a horror involving the crushing and burning to death of imprisoned passengers had the coaches been of wood. But the steel coaches did not collapse and did not burn, and the only casualties were the deaths of the engineer and fireman. The passengers were not even injured.

Now that an English inventor says that he has been successful in inventing an apparatus for telephoning through water without wires, perhaps telephoning across the Atlantic may soon be an accomplished fact. There's certainly enough water there.

In 1915 the centennial observance of peace in the English speaking world will be observed, and it is proposed that every person in the countries interested should be quiet five minutes. The kind of a celebration would not be appreciated by the children.

An English scientist has married a learned Massachusetts woman who speaks 54 languages. It is a brave man who dares a command of volubility like that. Even science might be pardoned from shrinking from the prospect.

There is a new street car device intended to enable the conductor to call off the names of the streets without opening the door. But what's the use? It will sound the same anyway.

An electric warship is the latest conceit of the inventor. When a fleet of them can be manned without men perhaps there will no longer be objection to war.

There are more men than women in this country and the difference in favor of the men increases every year. Let the widows hope on.

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Will Get at Bottom of Everglades Scandal.

NEW DEVELOPMENTS ARISE

The Florida Senators Call on Mr. Moss Chairman of Committee in Charge of the Inquiry Into the Affairs of the Agricultural Department—Secretary Wilson and Solicitor McCabe Court the Fullest Investigation.

Washington, Feb. 8.—The house committee on expenditures in the agricultural department has begun a thorough investigation of the Everglades land controversy. Chairman Moss having been directed to issue subpenas for witnesses. Henry E. Davis, former United States attorney for the District of Columbia, has been retained by Chief Engineer Elliott and Assistant Engineer Morehouse of the drainage division, who were dismissed by Secretary Wilson last Saturday, and by Accountant Singleton, who was suspended, to represent their interests before the committee during the investigation.

Hearings will probably not be begun until some time next week, but Chairman Moss today directed the issuance of a subpena for J. O. Wright, formerly an employe of the department and now chief engineer of the Everglades drainage project. Wright on Jan. 19 of this year brought to the attention of Solicitor McCabe the charges upon which Elliott and Morehouse were "fired" and Singleton suspended. The first witness called, however, will be A. Zappone, chief of the division of accounts of the department. He will be asked to tell the committee all the details of the alleged irregularities in the accounts of the drainage division in 1909, which resulted in the punishment last Saturday of the three officials in question.

There have been several new developments in the Everglades controversy. The department of agriculture has issued a statement denouncing as "prejudiced, one-sided and untrue" the statement given out by Representative Clark of Florida, declaring that Secretary Wilson suppressed a warning circular and an engineer's report on the Everglades because the circular and report did not please the land speculators operating in the Everglades. The department's statement also declares that Elliott and Morehouse were dismissed "because they had certified and presented false accounts, knowing them to be false, on which the government paid out money."

Senators Fletcher and Bryan of Florida were closeted with Chairman Moss for a couple of hours. In connection with the senator's visit it became known that a senate document printed last summer which was supposed to embrace all public papers relating to the Florida Everglades, did not in fact contain the report made by J. O. Wright when a department employe, but instead contained a second revision of the report made by Wright himself after he had left the employ of the government and had become chief engineer of the drainage project under the state of Florida. Mr. Wright says in a letter to Secretary Wilson, dated Nov. 25, 1911, that Senator Fletcher helped him revise the report.

"Senator Fletcher," says Wright in his letter to the secretary, "got permission from the last session of congress to publish this report as part of a senate document. A copy was procured from your department and sent to the government printing office. When the galley proof was struck off Elliott got a copy and proceeded to rewrite the same.

"When it was returned to the committee it no longer appeared to be my report, but Elliott's report. My name had been stricken out and Elliott's inserted in many pages. Page after page had been stricken out and many typewritten pages supplied to take their places. Matter had been injected that was not in the original report and conclusions drawn that were not warranted by facts.

"Senator Fletcher was amazed and requested me to come to Jacksonville and go over the matter with him. I did this and the report was corrected to conform to the manuscript secured from your department. I have recently received a page proof of this document."

In the senate document it was Mr. Wright's revised and approved report —that is, the report revised and approved by him after he had left the department and was connected with the drainage project—that was printed. The document does not contain any reference to the unfavorable circular issued by Elliott when the department began to receive letters from all over the country asking for information as to the value of the Everglades lands for investment purposes.

The stand taken by Secretary Wilson and Solicitor McCabe in their conviction that in punishing Elliott, Morehouse and Singleton, they did the only thing possible under the circumstances and their apparent willingness to be investigated have lent additional interest to the pending inquiry.

The centenary tributes of Charles Dickens occupy hundreds of columns in the papers of England. These tributes are eulogistic, and anecdotal.

MYRON T. HERRICK

Ex-Governor of Ohio Will Be Next Ambassador to France.

Washington, Feb. 8.—The nomination of former Governor Myron T. Herrick of Ohio to be ambassador to France has been sent by President Taft to the senate. He will succeed Robert Bacon, resigned to become a fellow of Harvard university.

HOUSE DEMOCRATS STICK BY LEADER

They Accept Underwood In Preference to Bryan.

Washington, Feb. 8.—In his fight against W. J. Bryan on the money trust investigation, Oscar Underwood, majority leader of the house of representatives, won. It was the second notable victory that Mr. Underwood has achieved over the peerless loser, the first having been Bryan's attempt to force free raw wool on the house Democrats. The Democrats of the house in caucus last night upheld Underwood's demand for a conservative invesetigation of the "money trust" by the standing committees of the house by a vote of 115 to 66. The Henry-Lindbergh resolution authorizing a sweeping investigation by a special committee as urged by Bryan was laid on the table.

This action authorizes an inquiry of the money trust by four committees of the house instead of by a special committee. The committees that will take up the inquiry at once with a view to legislation are the judiciary, interstate commerce, banking and currency and election of president, vice president and representatives in congress.

DUKE WILL MOVE

Head of Tobacco Trust Going to Transfer His Activities.

New York, Feb. 8.—It is announced at the offices of the American Tobacco company that James B. Duke, president of the company, will soon resign its presidency and accept the chairmanship of the British American Tobacco company, limited, with its head office in London, in order to devote himself to the extension of the business of the latter company, which now lies principally in China, India, Australia, Canada, South Africa and continental Europe, and that he would be succeeded as president of the American Tobacco company by P. S. Hill, long a vice president of that company.

Abe Ruef to Testify.

San Francisco, Feb. 8.—Abe Ruef, former political boss of this city, now a convict in San Quentin penitentiary, will testify for the prosecution in the trial of former Mayor Eugene Schmitz.

TERSE TELEGRAMS

Baron de Rio Branco, who has been secretary of foreign affairs for Brazil for a number of years, is dead.

A party of fifty persons perished in a snowstorm while traveling along the road in the vicinity of Ishim, Siberia.

The Stanley steel committee has issued a subpena for James J. Hill, who is wanted as a witness in the hearings now in progress.

Seven bridges have been burned out on the Mexico Northwestern railroad between Pearson and Santa Sofia and traffic has been annulled.

In Ciudad Juarez and Chihuahua all is in order. Orozco has accepted the appointment of governor of Chihuahua, with which it is believed all disturbances will cease.

The Underwood presidential boom has assumed such proportions that the friends of the other candidates who are contending for the Democratic nomination have begun to take notice.

Mike Gibbons, the St. Paul welterweight, knocked out Young Cashman of New York in the fourth round in the presence of 4,000 Gotham fight fans. It was a slaughter from the start.

LINING UP THE SUSPECTED MEN

Arrest of Alleged Dynamiters About to Begin.

WARRANTS HAVE BEEN ISSUED

Certified Indictments and Warrants of Arrest Have Been Sent Out to a Number of Cities Throughout the Country, and It Is Believed the Work of Corralling the Indicted Men Will Begin Saturday.

Indianapolis, Feb. 8.—It is believed that the work of corralling the men indicted in the dynamiting cases will begin early Saturday morning, the mails leaving this city having carried certified indictments and warrants of arrest to a number of cities throughout the country. The indictments were all drawn in duplicate and there has been little delay in having the copies certified and the warrants issued and the forty-odd men indicted will soon be in custody.

It is said that at least fifteen of the accused men have been more or less prominent in the iron workers' organization, and it is believed that few if any outside that organization have been caught in the net. Around the iron workers' headquarters in this city there is manifest uneasiness, but President Ryan and Secretary Hockin refuse to discuss the matter or confess to more than a passing interest. Ryan said he did not know anything about the investigation and that he had no fear as far as the organiztion is concerned, of the result.

The district attorney and the clerks in the office of the federal court do not deny that the capiases have been issued and that they have been mailed to other jurisdictions in a number of states. They refuse, however, to state how many persons have been indicted.

SECOND CONVICTION

Another Monroe County Whitecapper Declared to Be Guilty.

Bloomington, Ind., Feb. 8.—Silas Adams, the second of the eight men charged with having taken part in the whitecapping of Harvey McFarland, May 4 last, in Polk township, was found guilty. The jury was out only one hour. A motion for a new trial was made, and an appeal will be taken to the supreme court. The penalty is two to ten years in state prison.

The attorneys for both sides have agreed that no other whitecap cases are to be tried this term of court on account of the press of civil business. The case first to be taken up at the next term of court will be that against Newton Adams.

IN THE DITCH

Two Freight Trains on the C. & O. Come Together Near Richmond.

Richmond, Ind., Feb. 8.—Five trainmen were injured, none seriously, when two freight trains on the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad crashed into each other, five miles south of Richmond. The injured are: August Hauss, engineer; John Bruce, R. C. Paine, Fred Jones, trainmen, and H. F. Hapner, fireman, all of Peru. They were brought to Richmond, where the attention of surgeons was given them.

The freight trains, one northbound and the other southbound, met headon, but were not traveling at excessive speed. Both locomotives were demolished and twenty cars piled up in the ditch.

LIFE SENTENCE

Imposed Upon Cecil Fordyce For Murder of Clarkson Willcuts.

Marion, Ind., Feb. 8.—Cecil Fordyce, twenty years old, who, on the evening of Jan. 27, murdered Clarkson Willcuts at the home of the latter in this city, was sentenced by Judge Paulus to life imprisonment in the state prison on his plea of guilty.

Fordyce called Clarkson Willcuts to the door, thrust a revolver into his face and demanded his money. Willcuts grappled with Fordyce, who fired once. Mr. Willcuts died twenty minutes after he was shot. Cecil Fordyce is the son of Elmer Fordyce of Derma, Miss. The family formerly lived at Wabash.

Burglar "Scare" Causes Death.

South Bend, Ind., Feb. 8.—Excitement over an imaginary burglar resulted in the death of Miss Minerva Ryan of this city. In her fear she left a sickbed and fled to the bathroom, where she remained until the police arrived. She later suffered a violent attack of hysterics, then sank rapidly until death came.

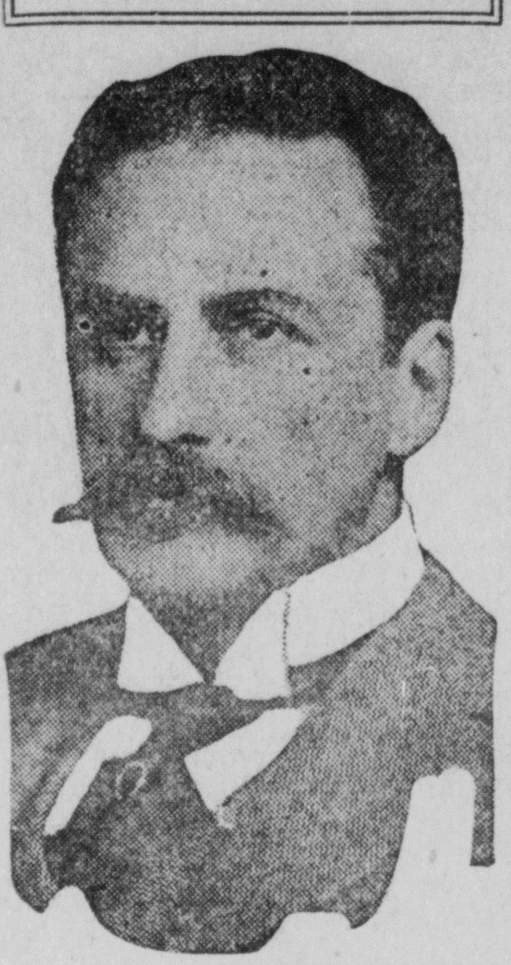
Aetna Powder Mill to Move.

Gary, Ind., Feb. 8.—The Aetna Powder company, the largest manufacturing plant of dynamite, guncotton and nitroglycerine in the world, has purchased a 200-acre site on the Kankakee river marshes and will abandon their present site, situated at Aetna, within a mile of the Gary steel mills

Fire destroyed the John A. Rowe stone mill at Bedford, Ind., causing a loss of nearly $50,000.

ROBERT BACON

Ambassador to France Who Is to Be Recipient of Special Honors.



Paris, Feb. 8.—Robert Bacon, United States ambassador at Paris, resigned, is to be especially distinguished by the interparliamentary arbitration group, which has decided to hold a special session at the senate in his honor before his departure. The date has not yet been fixed.

SENTENCE OF DEATH TREATED AS A JOKE

"A Short Life and a Merry One," Says MacFarland.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 8.—Chief Justice Gummere has sentenced Allison MacFarland, convicted of murdering his wife by causing her to take cyanide of potassium, to die in the electric chair in the week beginning March 17. Sentence was imposed after the court had refused to grant a motion for a new trial. Counsel for the condemned man said that he would appeal to the court of errors. This will act as a stay of execution of the sentence.

After MacFarland had been told to stand up and hear his sentence and the chief justice began speaking, MacFarland interrupted and asked: "What would I be permitted to say at this time, your honor?"

The chief justice explained that he was at liberty to make any statement he desired to show why sentence should not be pronounced.

"Well, I would simply say," MacFarland replied, "that there are many things which I feel might be offered to show this thing in a different light, and that for some reason or other beyond my control those things have not been brought to light. It was a matter which was out of my control and discretion, and I am in a position of being in the hands of another man who directs the boat, and I simply yield to superior force, under protest. This is all I will have to say in the case, your honor."

The death sentence was then pronounced and MacFarland was taken back to the jail. After rolling a cigarette and lighting it he remarked that "the joke" was on him. One of the constables said that it was a serious joke, and MacFarland replied:

"Oh, I don't know. Some people eat pork and beans all their lives and live to be a hundred years old. Me for a short life and a merry one."

PEACE RESTORED

Irishmen Forego Fine Chance For a Shindy at Belfast.

Belfast, Feb. 8.—If the conditions today are any indication of what may be expected tonight, the great home rule demonstration at Celtic park, where Winston Churchill, John Redmond and others are to address a great Liberal meeting, will pass off without the expected disturbances. Up to the time of writing this dispatch the best order has prevailed The streets are crowded, but everyone appears to be in the best of humor. The Unionists have made no attempt to revive their scheme for a counter demonstration in Ulster hall, the Unionist council having abandoned this program because of the fear that it might lead to trouble which would be directly traceable to their organization. Through the efforts of Winston Churchill and in deference to the feelings of the Unionists, the Liberals gave up their lease of Ulster hall and hired the football grounds for the demonstration.

Parents Hold No Resentment.

Muncie, Ind., Feb. 8.—The intervention of the parents of the slain boy, Earl Thompson, aged twelve, in behalf of the slayer, Oscar Tharp, aged twelve, Tharp having killed Thompson with a chunk of coal during a boyish fight, probably will save Tharp from severe punishment. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson say they believe young Tharp had no intention of killing their son. The boy, although no charge has been placed against him, is still under police supervision.

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Seymour Temperatures.

The following are the maximum and minimum temperatures as shown by the government thermometers at the Seymour volunteer weather observation station and reported by J. Robt. Blair, observer. The figures are for twenty-four hours ending at noon:

	Max.	Min.
February 8, 1912	31	4

Weather Indications.

Fair north. Probably snow south portion tonight or Friday. Continued cold.

Mike Hackett, engineer on the Southeastern Line and son of Councilman John Hackett, of this city, who went to San Antonia, Texas, a few weeks ago for the benefit of his health, writes his father that he has gained eight pounds in weight and that he is feeling fine. He left last Monday to go from San Antonio to Albuquerque, New Mexico, where he will remain for some time.—Bedford Democrat.

Miss Lena Krass went to Montgomery this morning to attend the china wedding anniversary of her sister, Mrs. John Marbaugh.

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